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For: Multiple Well Plate With Adhesive Bonded Filter

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.
2. Applicant is
 - ☐ a small entity. A statement:
 - ☐ is attached.
 - ☐ was already filed.
 - ☒ other than a small entity.
3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply.
 - ☐ Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 (fees: 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(1)-(4)) for the total number of months checked below:

	Extension (months)	Fee for other than <u>small entity</u>
<input type="checkbox"/>	one month	\$110.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	two months	\$400.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	three months	\$920.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	four months	\$1,440.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	five months	\$1,960.00

Fee: \$ _____

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

- ☒ Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

4. Fee Calculation

NOTE: "(3) The filing fee for a continued prosecution application filed under this paragraph is:

(i) The basic filing fee as set forth in § 1.16; and

(ii) Any additional § 1.16 fee due based on the number of claims remaining in the application after entry of any amendment accompanying the request for an application under this paragraph and entry of any amendments under § 1.116 unentered in the prior application which applicant has requested to be entered in the continued prosecution application."

37 CFR 1.53(d)(3)(i) and (ii).

A. ☒ Additional Claims Only

CLAIMS AS FILED					
Claims	Number Filed	Basic Fee Allowance	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee 37 C.F.R. 1.16(a)
Total Additional Claims (37 CFR 1.16(c))	3	- 20 = 0	3	\$ 18.00	\$54
Additional Independent Claims (37 CFR 1.16(b)) <i>(Two original)</i>	3	- 3 = 0	2	\$ 78.00	\$156
Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if any (37 CFR 1.16(d))				\$260.00	\$0

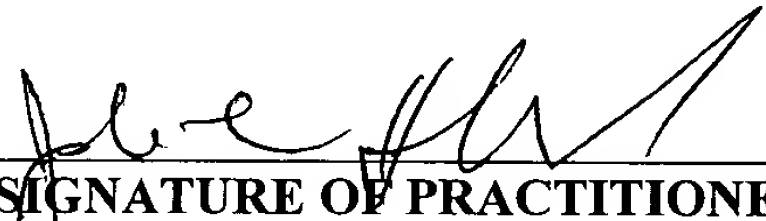
- ☒ Amendment adding extra claims is enclosed.
☐ Amendment deleting multiple-dependencies is enclosed.
☐ Fee for extra claims is not being paid at this time.

NOTE: If the fees for extra claims are not paid on filing they must be paid or the claims cancelled by amendment, prior to the expiration of the time period set for response by the Patent and Trademark Office in any notice of fee deficiency. 37 CFR 1.16(d).

Filing Fee Calculation \$ 210.00

FEE PAYMENT

5. ☐ Attached is a check in the sum of \$ _____.
 ☒ Charge Account No. 133577 the sum of \$ 210.00.
 A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.
6. ☒ If any additional extension and/or fee is required, charge Account No. 133577



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